

Please amend the title of the specification at page 1, line 3 to replace  
~~Compositions and Methods to Modulate Immune and Inflammatory Responses~~  
with the following:

Method for Inhibiting Surface ATPase Activity of Regeneration and Tolerance Factor.

Please amend the specification by inserting prior to line 5, page 1 the following:

Related Applications:

This application claims priority from U.S. Provisional Patent Application No. 60/446,499 which was filed on February 10, 2003.

Please replace the paragraph found at page 12, lines 2 through 9 with the following paragraph:

PBMC were obtained by ficoll separation and  $2.5 \times 10^5$  cells per well were incubated in a 96 well plate in RPMI 1640 medium in the presence of 2  $\mu$ g/ml PHA, or RPMI alone. After 72 hours both unstimulated, and stimulated cells were washed twice in PBS, permeabilized with ice cold 70% ethanol for 15 mins, and reacted with 7  $\mu$ l anti-RTF-FITC, anti-CD8-PE (Pharmingen), or isotype control antibody for 15 mins. Cells were washed again, fixed with ~~Coulter~~ COULTER fixative solution, and a cytopsin was used to transfer them to a positively charged slide which was mounted with Dapco medium. Slides were then examined by confocal microscopy.